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SUBJ: CONSULAR PACKAGE - FY 1976

REF: DEPARTMENT OF STATE A-4500 DATED JUNE 9, 1974

POST LAHORE, PAKISTAN DATE JUNE 20, 1974

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PART I - IMMIGRANT VISAS

1. IMMIGRANT VISAS ISSUED 915 1050 1150

2. IMMIGRANT VISAS REFUSED 95 150 200

3. IMMIGRANT VISAS REPL. 8 15 15

4. TOTAL 1018 1215 1365

5. MANHOURS UTILIZED

A. AMERICAN 600 650 700

B. LOCAL 3250 3500 3600

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TOTAL 3850 4150 4300

CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED \$ 22,775 \$ 26,250 \$ 28,750

PART II - NONIMMIGRANT VISAS

1. NIVS ISSUED 1096 1200 1400

2. NIVS REFUSED 488 550 600

3. NIVS REVAL. TRANSFERRED 20 50 60

4. TOTAL 1604 1800 2060

5. BCCS ISSUED - - -

6. CREWLISTS PROCESSED - - -

7. INDIVIDUAL NAMES INCLUDED - - -

8. MANHOURS UTILIZED

A. AMERICAN 850 900 950

B. LOCAL 1350 1400 1450

TOTAL 2200 2300 2400

CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED - - -

PART III - SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES

 $1.\ \mathsf{DEATH}\ \mathsf{OF}\ \mathsf{AMERICAN}\ \mathsf{CITIZENS}\qquad \qquad 1\qquad \qquad 2\qquad \qquad 2$ 

2. ESTATES AND PROPERTY CLAIM - - -

3. NOTARIALS 487 550 600

4. WELFARE AND WHEREABOUTS 24 50 50

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5. ARRESTS 2 5 5

6. SEAMEN AND SHIPPING - - -

7. SERVICES FOR OTHER FEDERAL

OR STATE AGENCIES 18 20 20

TOTAL 532 629 679

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9. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED \$ 1,124.50 \$ 1,300.00 \$ 1,425.00
10. MANHOURS UTILIZED
A. AMERICAN 125 130 130
B. LOCAL 750 750 750
TOTAL 875 880 880
PART IV - CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORT SERVICES
1. PPT. APPLNS. EXECUTED 58 50 50
2. PPT. APPLNS. EXAMINED
3. FEE PASSPORT ISSUED 52 50 50
4. NO FEE PASSPORT ISSUED
5. PASSPORTS AMENDED 6 10 10
6. PASSPORTS VERIFIED
7. NEW APPLICATIONS FOR RED. (A) 32 30 30
8. BIRTH AFFIDAVIT, REG. AND REPORT OF BIRTHS (FS-240) 3 4 4
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9. WITNESS TO MARRIAGE
10. WAIVER OF PASSPORTS
TOTAL 151 144 144
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8. TREASURY CHECK

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## 11. REGISTRATIONS:

A. NUMBER REGISTERED 380 400 400

B. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF NATIONAL

CIVILIAN RESIDENTS -

U.S. OFFICIAL 34 40 40

U.S. NON-OFFICIALS 350 360 360

12. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED \$628.50 \$606.00 \$606.00

13. MANHOURS UTILIZED

A. AMERICAN 110 110 110

B. LOCAL 510 520 520

TOTAL 620 630 630

PART V

CONSULAR SERVICES REPORT REMARKS AND JUSTIFICATION

VISAS: DURING FISCAL YEAR 1974 THE NUMBR OF IMMIGRANT VISAS UNCLASSIFIED

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ISSUED BY LAHORE CONTINUED TO INCREASE AT ROUGHLY THE RATE PREDICTED LAST YEAR. THE CONSULATE GENERAL PROCESSED 1604 NON-IMMIGRANT VISA CASES DURING THIS FISCAL YEAR, 50 PER CENT MORE THAN THE 1973 FIGURE OF 1114.

NONIMMIGRANT VISAS: RELATIVE POLITICAL STABILITY, IN CONTRAST WITH THE TROUBLED TIMES OF JULY 1971 THROUGH JUNE 1972, IS PARTLY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE INCREASING NUMBER OF NON-IMMIGRANT APPLICANTS. PAKISTANIS OCCASIONALLY STATE THAT THEY FEEL IT IS SAFE TO GO ABROAD AND LEAVE THEIR FAMILIES WITHOUT THE ANXIETY THEY PREVIOUSLY EXPERIENCED. ALSO, PRESIDENT BHUTTO'S GOVERNMENT HAS IMPLEMENTED MORE LIBERAL PASSPORT AND FOREIGN EXCHANGE POLICIES.

AT THE SAME TIME, UNEMPLOYMENT AMONG THE EDUCATED IS A CONTINUING PROBLEM. SINCE THE DEVALUATION OF THE RUPEE IN MAY OF 1972, FOREIGN TRAVEL OR STUDY IS FAR TOO EXPENSIVE FOR PAKISTANI ON AN AVERAGE SALARY. WE SUSPECT THE BONA FIDES OF MANY APPLICANTS FOR STUDENT OR TEMPORARY VISITOR VISAS. AND EXPECT THE PROBLEM TO CONTINUE. STUDENTS AND TEMPORARY VISITORS: LAHORE HAS RAISED THE PASSING SCORE TO 75 PER CENT ON THE ENGLISH PROFICIENCY TEST ADMINISTERED BY USIS TO ALL STUDENT VISA APPLICANTS. THIS STRICT REQUIREMENT TOGETHER WITH THE DEVALUATION, HAS LESSENED THE NUMBER OF STUDENT VISA APPLICANTS (FROM 130 DURING THE FIRST SIX MONTHS TO 75 DURING THE LAST). THE CONSULAR SECTION WORKS CLOSELY WITH THE COMMERCIAL/ECONOMIC STAFF TO SCREEN ALLEGED BUSSINESSMEN WHO HAVE NEVER CORRESPONDED WITH A FIRM IN THE UNITED STATES, CANNOT DISCUSS THEIR COMPANY'S FINANCIAL STANDING, AND PRESENT NO ITINERARY OR DEFINITE PROGRAM FOR THEIR U.S. TRAVEL.

RELATIVE PETITION: DURING THE CURRENT YEAR, SECOND PREFERENCE NUMBERS FOR PERMANENT RESIDENTS WHO HAVE RETURNED TO IMPORT A BRIDE ARE IN CONSTANT DEMAND (FROM 70 DURING LAST YEAR TO 123 DURING CURRENT YEAR). AS THE NUMBER OF PAKISTANIS WHO BECOME U.S. CITIZEN INCREASE THE POST ANTICIPATES PROCESSING MORE RELATIVE PETITIONS FOR THE IMMIGRATION AND NATURALIZATION SERVICE.

PRIORITY DATES: NON-PREFERENCE NUMBERS HAVE AGAIN BECOME CURRENT. IN FY-74 THE POST PROCESSED APPROXIMATELY 650 APPLICATIONS FOR UNCLASSIFIED

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LABOR CERTIFICATION WHEREAS THERE WERE ONLY 250 APPLICATIONS IN THE PREVIOUS YEAR.

CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORTS: THE CIVILIAN AND OFFICIAL U.S. POPULATION OF THE DISTRICT HAS REMAINED ALMOST THE SAME.

PART VI CONSULAR STAFFING FULL TIME PERMANENT POSITION

VISA SPECIAL CITIZENSHIP GENERAL TOTAL

CONSULAR PASSPORT CONSULAR
SERVICES SERVICES
NO. NO. NO. NO. NO. NO. NO. NO. NO. NO.
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BUREAU -NEA POST AND LAHORE, COUNTRY **PAKISTAN** REGIONAL AUTHORIZ-ATION AS OF JUNE 30, 1973 - 2 - - - 1 1 1 3 REGIONAL BUREAU AUTHORIZ-ATION AS OF JUNE 30,1974 - 2 - - - 1 1 1 3 **FILLED POSITIONS** UNCLASSIFIED UNCLASSIFIED PAGE 04 LAHORE 00883 02 OF 02 210518Z AS OF JUNE 30, 1974 - 2 - - - 1 1 1 3 REQUIRED PERSONNEL FOR FY-1975 AND 1976 - 2 - - - 1 1 1 3 GRIFFIN UNCLASSIFIED

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